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# IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Andrysek et al.

Attorney Docket No.: UD&amp;LP049

Application No.: 09/642,242

Examiner: Lukton, D.

Filed: August 17, 2000

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**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**

Commissioner for Patents  
Box Non-Fee Amendment  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

	Claims After Amendment		Highest Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Small Entity Rate Fee	Large Entity Rate Fee
Total Claims	32	MINUS	32	0	x 9 = 0	x 18 = 0
Independent Claims	3	MINUS	3	0	x 40 = 0	x 80 = 0
Multiple Dependent Claim Present and Fee Not Previously Paid					\$135.00	\$270.00
Total					\$0	\$0



Applicant(s) believe that no (additional) Extension of Time is required; however, if it is determined that such an extension is required, Applicant(s) hereby petition that such an extension be granted and authorize the Commissioner to charge the required fees for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136 to Deposit Account No. 500388.

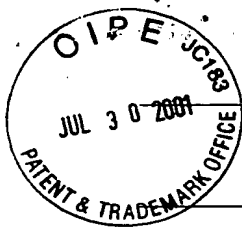


Please charge the required fees, or any additional fees required to facilitate filing the enclosed response, to Deposit Account No. 500388 (Order No. UD&LP049).

Respectfully submitted,  
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**AMENDMENT A**Commissioner for Patents  
Box Non-Fee Amendment  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 28, 2001 please amend the above-identified  
patent application as follows:**In the Claims:**Please ~~replace~~ Claims 2, 4, and 30 with the following **amended** claims.

2. (Amended) A pharmaceutical formulation for oral or topical administration  
including
- a) an effective amount of one or more hydrophobic active ingredients;
  - b) 5 to 50% of one or more compounds selected from polyglycerol esters of fatty  
acids of formula (1)

